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ADEN-YEMEN

- I. Situation in Yemen-Aden area is deteriorating so seriously that British government is extending its military operations.
- A. London now has 2,500 British troops plus 2,500 British-led native troops in Aden.
- B. British jets have crossed the frontier and taken direct action against Yemeni forces.

- III. Yemen supported by Nasir and Soviet bloc likely to give exaggerated publicity to any British action.

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